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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the PATENT application of

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Application Number: 10/621,045 Group Art Unit: 2871

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For: IMPROVEMENTS IN BANDWIDTH PROPERTIES OF LC-SLMs FOR
TELECOMMUNICATION APPLICATIONS

RESPONSE WITH ELECTION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 25th, 2005, the applicant elects claims 1-8, identified in the Office action as belonging to Group I, Species 1.

The application is now in condition for early action on the merits, notice of which is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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